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District Disposes Of 14 Parcels In Land Transfers

Sale of Parcels Finances Purchase of Tract Says Edmunds

Fourteen parcels of land north of Highway 40 in the section recently purchased by the Truckee Public Utility District from the Pacific Fruit Express Company a mile and a hah west of here have been resold to potential builders, according to C. Edmunds, manager of the district, who is conducting the transactions.

All of the new buyers have indicated their intention of building as soon as conditions permit, Edmunds said, many of them planning motels and other rental property.

Pays for Section

The sale of the property by the district, Edmunds reports, has paid the full cost of the entire section purchased by the district and leaves a balance of some $2,000 over to provide for the installation of utilities in the area. There are still between 3,000 and 4,000 feet of highway frontage lots to be sold.

The only restriction provided in the deeds delivered to the new owners are that the property will not be used for junk yards, wrecking places or used car lots. These restrictions last only for 20 years.

The district did not subdivide the property but has reserved 50-foot rights of way every 800 feet to provide for the building of streets or roads should the need arise, Edmunds said. At the same time, the district reserved two parcels in two sections of the propetry for its own use, one possibly to be used for the purpose of a warehouse and storage yard.

Planned Projects

The purchasers and their declared projects as announced by Edmunds are as follows, starting at Truckee Resort and coming toward Gateway Park:

Steve Cozzi and Armano Butti of Truckee, motel.

Guido Cozzi and R. Cozzi, Truckee, tavern.

John R. Wolert, Truckee, building materials.

George Pace, Sunnyvale, plumbing.

Vendor B. Lee, Emigrant Gap, motel.

Vedi Russi, Sacramento, summer home.

Lauren I. Russell and K. L. Hedlund, Sacramento, garage and service station.

Donald S. Compton and Charles J. Ogle, Sacramento, hotel and cafe.

William Rindfleisch, Kings Beach, fuels.

I. Firpo, Truckee, undetermined.

Joe King, Kings Beach, Christmas tree lot.

I. O. Gifford, owner of Truckee Resort, purchased property on each side of his resort and west of the Truckee Resort, Edmunds said Ermin Hintz of McCall, Idaho, has purchased property for cabins while Vendor Lee and Charles Tessier of Sacramento purchased lots for cabin sites.

To Develop Park

The property sold for $10 and up per front foot. Any future receipts from the property will be used for the development of the public park south of the highway, Edmunds said.

TAHOE BRIEFS

Miss Edna Wheat is now attending Fullerton Junior College where she is pursuing a course in art.

The Al Henrys Jr are eagerly awaiting the completion of their new kitchen cabinets. When finished, they will be installed in their new home next to Tahoe City Garage and the Henrys will move in. Jim Wheat has been applying linseed oil to the exterior this week and the base of the building will be buff colored with brown trim.

Arthur Opitz, driver for the Sierra Builders Supply Co. who was injured when his truck and trailer were demolished on Wednesday of last week near Graeagle, is resting in a Reno hospital where he must remain for a few weeks. X-rays revealed a fractured bone in one of his legs and minor injuries.

rdinals Parents Of Daughter Oct. 15th

Mr. and Mrs. Heslin Cardinal are receiving congratulations on the birth of their first child, a daughter, who arrived at Reno on Tuesday morning, October 15. Dianne Lynn is the name of the baby who weighted 7 pounds and 7 ounces at birth.

TRUCKEE MEN OBSERVE BIRTHDATES

Mrs. William Englehart, Jr., was hostess at a birthdate dinner for her husband on Tuesday evening, October 15.

Robert Leamon was guest of honor at a family dinner given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barrett on his birthdate, Friday, October 11.

Miss Connie Rider of Vallejo visited her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Parker, over the weekend.

Plans Being Made For Future Sports As Seasons Ended

Closer Cooperation Among Sportsmen Is Seen As Benefit

The trout fishing season on the Truckee River, Lake Tahoe and tributary streams and lakes closed Tuesday night.

While opinions are divided as to whether conditions were better or worse in the district this year than in recent seasons, one thing is definite and that is that efforts are being consolidated to improve the sport. The Truckee Outdoor Sportsmen are cooperating with the Associated Sportsmen in an effort to regain a sustained stream flow of water from Lake Tahoe on the Truckee River and at the same time are not slowing down in the rearing program.

D. E. Kessler, president of the San Francisco Flycasting Club, at a dinner meeting held at the club Tuesday night pledged the support of his organization in any progressive move made by Truckee and Tahoe interests to improve fishing. He said that the rearing ponds at the club would be available to the sportsmen and that the club would assist financially and otherwise in putting the Truckee River back in its place as the finest fishing stream in the world.

Allan Pollitt, superintendent of the fish hatcheries at Lake Tahoe, at the same time told of plans to improve the conditions by the state fish and game commission.

One thing lacking in painting a bright picture for the future is the seeming indifference of Nevada utilities in maintaining a sufficient water flow in the Truckee River. If and when this condition is corrected there seems nothing to prevent the fondest wishes of the sportsmen being realized.

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The deer hunting season in the Truckee area will close October 21, next Monday. Sportsmen report that while the first few days saw hundreds of deer killed, the sport waned fast and late hunters have been deprived of even the sight of a buck.

56 Attend Church Supper To Hear Reno Clergyman

Rev. and Mrs. Marvin Quattlebaum were hosts last night to 56 persons at a pot-luck supper and program at the Community Methodist Church. Special guests of the evening were Rev. and Mrs. Don S. Fleming of the First Methodist Church of Reno, the former giving an excellent talk on "Stewardship". Mrs. George D. Kamp accompanied the singing of hymns by the group at the piano.

Meanwhile, the church's repair program is progressing as rapidly as volunteer labor allows. The new aluminum roofing has been placed on a major portion of the north roof and it is hoped to have the work completed before serious winter storms descend.

Delegate's Report of Ski Sessions Due on Monday

A full report on the California Ski Association convention at Santa Cruz will be presented by Mancel Justice to the Truckee Outing Club at its meeting Monday night at Hill Top Lodge at eight o'clock.

A charter member of the association, the local club suspended activity during the war and this year reaffiliated with the state group.

Also on the agenda for Monday's meeting is the election of officers and a report by the hill committee.

Out of State Guests—

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ott have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Lee of McDonald, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hill of Maryland. Mr. and Mrs. Lee are the parents of Mrs. Ott and Mrs. Hill.

Delegate—

Al Bradshaw is the delegate from Truckee Lodge No. 200 to Grand Lodge, concluding today in San Francisco. Mr. and Mrs. Bradshaw plan to go to the Associated Sportsmen meeting to be held tomorrow and Saturday in Santa Cruz.

From Auburn—

Mrs. J. F. Lichtenberger and son, Pat, of Auburn visited Mrs. Dan Smith on Monday.

From State Capitol—

Karl Kielhofer and A. Filipcic of Sacramento were business visitors here last week.

.:Sun:. Beams

By WALTER M. BARRETT

We sincerely believe that the lack of fish in the Truckee River is attributable to one particular factor—the lack of water. It is true that there is ample flow nearly every day of the year to sustain the fish population very well, but during the few days each year when the water is permitted to drop to a mere trickle, thousands of fish are lost either through the freezing of spawn in the fall or by being made easy prey to predatory enemies in the summer. Action is demanded soon to prevent this unnecessary slaughter of our most valued asset. If our state law makers are helpless to correct the situation, then surely there must be some federal agency which can take steps to end the situation. It costs the sportsmen many dollars and lots of hard work to stock the stream and then they must stand helplessly by and watch their efforts vanish before their eyes.

Truckee is apparently on the verge of the biggest building boom in its history. A large number of tracts in the Gateway Park area and in the district just west of there recently purchased by the Truckee Public Utility District for resale and lots at the Donner Lake property have changed hands and buyers are making extensive plans for erection of homes and businesses. This is altogether a very healthy indication of the future in store for the region. The influx of newcomers each year becomes greater and as soon as building materials are made available we may well expect a nice increase in our population.

Interstate, Holiday Roads Carry Heaviest Traffic

SACRAMENTO, Oct. 17 —(UP)— Interstate routes and roads to recreational areas are the most popular in the state for post-war motor travel, results of annual traffic counts by the state division of highways show.

In the counts made this summer, interstate connections showed a 53.73 gain in traffic over 1945, with recreational routes showing a gain of 53.18. The gain for all routes was 46.10.

Main north and and south routes were about at the average with a 47.28 per cent gain over 1945, and laterals between the inland and the coast showed the least comparative gain, 41.62.

Tahoe Tot Undergoes Skin Operation in Reno

TAHOE CITY— On Thursday last little Larry Mandeville, 17-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mandeville of Lake Forest, was taken to a Reno hospital where an unusual operation was performed on his left hand. Skin was grafted from his left thigh onto the hand which had been painfully burned some time ago when he touched his mother's hot iron as her back was momentarily turned. The flesh was destroyed to the tendon. The operation, according to physicians, should prevent any permanent injury.

Larry was praised highly by nurses and doctors as he underwent his trying experience without a whimper and he has emerged a favorite patient of the children's ward where he will remain for the next few weeks. We are all praying this brave little fellow's stout heart will be rewarded with speedy and complete recovery.

Accepts Position—

Miss Carole Brock has accepted a position in the Southern Pacific Co. roadmaster's office here.

In Placerville—

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. White and A. Cloupek of Sparks, Nev., drove to Placerville on Saturday.

Leave Kings Beach—

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Blair of Kings Beach have gone to Richmond for the winter.

In Oakdale—

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Snow and family returned from Oakdale after spending the week end visiting with relatives.

Married—

William F. Currier, 32, and Juanita W. Currier, 29, both of Truckee obtained a marriage license at Reno on October 12.

Assessor at Riverside—

County Assessor P. G. Scadden and Deputy W. L. Tamblyn returned from Riverside this week were they attended as assessors' convention.

Forest Officer Is Missing

Continued search is being made for Charles Seals, 20, Boca Forest Service patrolman, and a green Chervolet pick-up fire truck, fully equipped with fire tools, reel and hose. The truck bears a government shield on each door with the number 595. Seals checked out last Saturday night for Juniper Creek road and neither he nor the truck have been heard from since.

Tahoe National Forest officials express the fear that he may have met with foul play since he is supposed to have had his summer savings on his person. If he were overpowered, the eulprit could have taken his badge and be impersonating a forest service officer.

The pickup contained a Standard Oil credit card.

BAY AREA DRIVER IS FREE ON BAIL AS CAR HITS BOY

Robert James Cawley, 23, Alameda bookmatch salesman, is at liberty under $100 bail posted with Justice of the Peace Evelyn Bliss at Tahoe City on a charge of reckless driving resulting in personal injuries.

Cawley, according to State Patrolman William Gautsche, was driving a car which struck down and seriously injured Billy Jones, 9-year-old Carnelian Bay boy, who was playing with a friend near the highway in front of his home.

According to the story witnesses told Gautsche, Cawley was traveling at an unsafe speed, lost control of his car, struck the boy and then the car careened across the highway into a tree where it was badly damaged.

The Jones boy is recovering from the injuries.

Local Women Attend OES Capitol Conclave

Mrs. Hannah Stewart has been attending Grand Chapter, OES, in Sacramento this week on behalf of Truckee Chapter 116. Mrs. Annie Tonini and Mrs. E. C. Bavier plan to be present at the installation of new officers Friday night.

Yesterday the conclave named Mrs. Birdie Bassett of Gridley grand matron and Carson Hubbard, Huntington Park, grand patron.

Rotary Ways and Means Topic of Dist. Governor

Instructive talks on Rotary principles and procedure in accomplishments by District Governor Willie Osburn on his annual visit to the local club were the main features of the program Monday night. Tom Buell presided as acting president in the absence of President Jack Wolert who was unexpectedly called to San Francisco on business.

Ted Johnson of Truckee was a visitor and visiting Rotarians were Dave Hanna, Ken Henderson and Art Ether of Reno, Pete Land of Sierraville, William Rutherford of North Sacramento and William Mayhew of Walnut Creek.

Double Anniversary Fete Slated by Pythian Sisters

The anniversary of the formation of Summit Temple No. 79, Pythian Sisters, on October 21 and the founding of the organization on the 23rd will be observed at a banquet to be held at the New California Cafe on October 24 at 7 PM by members of the local lodge.

Mrs. Lois Tackett is chairman of arrangements and those wishing to make reservations are to contact her at the Cafe by October 21. A social hour will follow the meeting.

BOY SCOUTING TOPIC OF PUBLIC MEETING

Bob Frank, Boy Scout executive for the Tahoe Area, and a committee from Auburn will be in Truckee to discuss plans for expanding Scouting in this area. They will be at Capitol Hall at 6 PM Monday and all persons interested in this vital youth movement are urged to be present. Following the public discussion, the committee will present a program at the regular Rotary Club meeting.

Married Here—

Rev. Marvin Quattlebaum joined Robert E. Lucas, 27, and Ziela Roberts, 21, both of Alameda, in marriage at the Methodist parsonage here on Tuesday, October 15.

Travel Decreases Through Truckee During September

State-Wide Slump Reflected In Travel Through All Stations

Although there were 3,218 less cars entered California by way of Truckee during September than in August, the local quarantine station cleared a total of 28,817 vehicles, not counting local cars, buses and trucks, according to the monthly report of the State Department of Agriculture.

The Truckee station was second only to Yermo in the number of cars entering the state, with Yermo counting 31,250.

Over the state as a whole the score dropped from a total of 214,220 during August to 189,913 for September, excluding trucks, buses and local cars, the report shows.

The 28,817 vehicle passing through the Truckee station brought 74,511 passengers, while the number of people on buses and cars brought the total up to 168,671.

As usual, Truckee led in the number of stages with a total of 710 during the month, only 40 less than in August. Truckee was second in the number of trucks entering California, wtih 1,057 while Blythe checked 1,173 such vehicles.

The two Lake Tahoe stations, at Brockway and Stateline, checked in 2,068 and 5,724 private vehicles excluding locals respectively. Brockway's traffic carried 5,000 passengers while Stateline's checked 15,541.

Flycasters' President Is Host At Turkey Dinner

D. E. Kessler, president of the San Francisco Flycasting Club and an ardent, consistent proponent of better fishing and hunting in this region, was host Tuesday evening to a group of Truckee businessmen at the annual dinner given at the club's cozy lodge east of here.

A delicious turkey dinner was prepared and served under the capable auspices of Mrs. Maude Gaffield, custodian at the club.

The evening was thoroughly enjoyed by the visitors and club members who exchanged ideas to improve fishing in the district. Members of the club and their families who spent the last few days of the trout season here left Wednesday for their homes.

Mrs. Henderson is Visitor Here from Home in Niles

Mrs. R. T. (Scotty) Henderson of Niles, accompanied by Mrs. Frank DeSalles, was visiting friends and relatives here last week. While here Mrs. Henderson went to Reno where she visited her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Spagnoli, a former Truckee resident, who will observe her 95th birthday next month.

Primary Sheriff Aspirant Is Jailed on FBI Charge

U. S. Commissioner Adele McCabe said this week that the Federal Bureau of Investigation has filed a complaint with her charging Thomas O'Dea of Grass Valley, candidate for sheriff at the primary election, with impersonating a federal officer.

The complaint alleges, Miss McCabe stated, that O'Dea represented himself as an FBI officer and as such received $1000 worth of mining equipment on a conditional sales contract in Grass Valley.

Local Patrol Officers to Attend State Meet Soon

Representatives of the Truckee squad of the state highway patrol will attend the annual convention of the patrol to be held at Sacramento October 22, 23 and 24. Matters of general interest to the patrol will be discussed.

Guests Here—

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Lausten of Maxwell and Mr. and Mrs. John Lack of Sacramento visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Roberts last week. Lack brought in a five-point mule tail deer during his stay.

At Ski Meet—

Ernie Nordstrom and Gene Woods of Soda Springs attended the state ski association meeting at Santa Cruz last weekend. Nordstrom has been a regular attendant at association conventions for the past ten years.

Deer Hunter Dies When Plane Hits Tree Near Here

Passenger "Grounds" Self After Second Escape From Crashes

One man was killed and a second badly injured Sunday morning at 8:30 o'clock when a small cabin plane in which they were deer hunting crashed into a bunch of trees near Webber Lake.

The dead man was Joseph A. Westrup, 48, Yuba City jeweler, owner and pilot of the plane.

James F. Davis, 33, Yuba City clothing store manager, suffered head injuries but recovered.

State Patrolmen H. B. Fowler and K. C. Kolb made the investigation with the aid of Constable N. F. Dolley and Deputy Dick Ackerson. The latter two brought the injured to Dr. J. H. Bernard at Truckee and Westrup, who had a fractured skull and internal injuries, died just as they reached Truckee.

Davis told Patrolman Kolb that they took off from Yuba City about six o'clock Sunday morning for Bowman Lake. Not finding any deer in the vicinity, they cruised about and spotted some near Webber. Westrup, he said, attempted to land on a small meadow, saw that it was not sufficient to accomodate the plane and attempted to pull the plane up. The ship brushed the top of one tree, careened through the second and landed in a third about six fee off the ground.

Witnesses at Webber Lake Resort saw the crash and rushed to the aid of the plane's occupants and summoned help.

Davis told the officers that it was his final airplane trip. It was his second and in both the planes in which he was a passenger crashed into trees.

Westrup's body was shipped to Yuba City by the Truckee Funeral Home which took charge of the remains.

WILD BIRD LESSON COSTS HUNTER $25 IN JUSTICE COURT

TAHOE CITY— Thomas Edmund Gilboy of San Francisco paid a $25 fine before Justice Evelyn Bliss of Tahoe City for killing an osprey, or fish duck. So rare are these birds that even collectors are not permitted to kill them and Game Warden Bill LaMarr has seen but one all season in this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilboy were fishing along the Truckee River when the bird began circling overhead. Becoming frightened by the bird, Mrs. Gilboy called to her husband who shot with a .22 rifle, hitting the bird in its wing. It fell into the brush and the defendant was firing eight more shots into the bird as the warden came upon the scene. Gilboy told LaMarr he thought he had shot an eagle—also protected by law.

Chipmunk Chatterings

This column written and edited by the Senior Class of Meadow Lake Union High School.

Entertains Students

"Cherokee Bill", trick performer, gave the students a preview of his show in an assembly last Friday. He performed several tricks with a whip and spoke of his experiences in show business.

Box Social Progresses

The school is humming with activity these days, as the committees for the Hallowe'en Box Socia get things lined up. The Rotary Club has promised to give a skit for part of the entertainment that night. A turkey will be given away at the affair.

Attend Convention

Mr. Justice and Humbert Ciardella went to Santa Cruz this past weekend to attend the annual convention of the California Ski Association.

Observe Birthdates

Nellie Reyes observed her birthdate of October 5 and Louie Goicoi observed his on October 2.

Goes to Capital

Nellie Reyes spent the weekend in Sacramento visiting relatives.

Tahoe Meeting Today To Take Up Lake Level

TAHOE CITY— Henry F. Droste, secretary of the Lake Tahoe-Sierra Association, has sent 100 invitations to resort and property owners at Lake Tahoe to attend the meeting being held today at the Community Hall in Tahoe City to determine their wishes regarding a proposal to lower the lake level from its present allowable maximum of 6229.1 to 6228 feet.

Harry Comstock, president of the association, is presiding at the meeting and A. M. Barton of Sacramento, secretary of the California State Reclamation Board, will present the army engineers' survey and report which is being sent to Washington for approval.

Charles Young and Henry Lyons are on the California committee while Tom King, George Devore and Andy Haight represent the Nevada interests in the discussions.

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CALIFORNIA SEEN AS LARGEST STATE AS POPULACE GROWING

SAN FRANCISCO— Now first among the states in rate of population growth, California bids fair to become first in total population, if the rate of increase since 1900 continues, according to census figures and estimates of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce.

The nation's third state in population with 8,746,989, California is outranked only by New York, with 12,632,890 and Pennsylvania with 10,247,088.

Between 1900 and 1944 California gained 7,261,936—more than any other state. This was 489 per cent increase. Twenty-five other states experienced a population loss, with New York declining by 846,252 and Pennsylvania by 653,092, during the four war years.

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A new far-northern oil reserve near Point Barrow, Alaska, was explored by Seabees as a war project in 1944.

Your Week

By Quimby

OCTOBER 14-20

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YOU ARE BORN UNDER THE SIGN OF LIBRA AND POSSESS A SERENE AND WELL-BALANCED TEMPERAMENT
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GENERAL "IKE" EISENHOWER CELEBRATES HIS 56TH BIRTHDAY TODAY
TUE 15
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SUN 20
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"WEEL KENS THE MOUSE WHAN PUSSIE'S IN" SCOTCH PROVERB

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PINE BLISTER RUST IS DISCOVERED IN BRANDY CITY AREA

NEVADA CITY— Blister rust cankers have been found in the Tahoe National Forest in the vicinity of Brandy City on the Downieville district and several other areas. This announcement was made by Forest Supervisor Guerdon Ellis and ushers in a period of study and control of this pine disease dreaded by all lumber and timber operators.

Blister rust is caused by a fungus that must grow alternately on white pines, of which sugar pine is the local member, and Ribes in order to complete its life cycle. Ribes species (currants and gooseberries) must be completely eradicated in the pine areas, explained Ellis, in order to combat blister rust, since the rust spores enter white pine through the needles and then grow into the bark where it will eventually kill the tree.

Several National Forests adjacent to the Tahoe have had work camps of fifty men each for several years engaged in eradication and control of blister rust.

The valuable pine stands of the Tahoe are in imminent danger of blister rust contamination, and any further signs of the disease should be reported at once to the Forest Service.

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Yosemite National Park contains 1126 square miles.

TAHOE CAR THEIF IS COMMITTED TO STATE HOSPITAL

AUBURN— Turner Hough, former Sacramento policeman, was sentenced to six months in jail for stealing a car from Tahoe Tavern last summer. Superior Judge Lowell Sparks, however, ruled Hough could be committed, at once to the Stockton State Hospital for treatment for excessive drinking without waiting to serve the term inthe county jail.

Doctors, who examined him, recommended he receive at least six months treatment in Stockton before being considered for discharge.

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A series of five railway tunnels, known as the Bay Shore Cutoff, opened in 1917, brought Peninsula towns into commuting distance of San Francisco.

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BANK OF AMERICA AWARDED BONDS OF TAHOE SCHOOL

AUBURN— Bank of America, NT&SA, was the successful bidder for the bonds of the Kings Beach Elementary School District, following acceptance of its offer by the Placer County supervisors in their latest session.

Bids for the sale of the bonds in the amount of $40,000 par value of the bonds were as follows: $26,000 par value maturing Nov. 1, 1947, to Nov. 1, 1959, inclusive, at three per cent, and $14,000 par value maturing Nov. 1, 1960 to Nov. 1, 1966, inclusive at 3¼ per cent interest plus a premium of $21. The bank was also the successful bidder for a $100,000 bond issue by the Lincoln Union Grammar School district.

Other action taken by the board affecting the eastern areas of the county included the following:

Granted a petition to rezone and reclassify property in Brockway Vista Subdivision lots 6 thru 72 in Block BE. The matter of opening the road and the public beach at Carnelian Bay were discussed. A resolution relative to certain itinerate sellers of tire chains during the wnter months carrying on their business on the public highways forwarded to the division of highways. All of Placer County except those tracts lying within the boundaries of incorporated cities was included in the Placer County Soil Conservation District recently formed.

2511 NEVADA COUNTY ELECTORS MAY LOSE VOTE AFTER NOV. 5th

Cancellation of their registration awaits 2511 residents of Nevada county unless they vote at next month's general election, County Clerk R. N. McCormack's records reveal. Although these citizens were registered prior to May 1, they failed to vote in the June primary election.

A total of 8907 Nevada county residents were qualified to vote at the primary. Only 6396 voted. Out of 4,113,608 Californians registered before the primary, 2,087,854 —or 50.75 per cent of the state's qualified voters—chose the nominees, the California State Chamber of Commerce reports.

California's election laws cancel a voter's registration if he or she fails to vote at either the primary or statewide general election. Registration of 1852 Nevada county voters was cancelled for failure to vote in 1944.

Registered voters who will be away from home November 5 can now cast absentee ballots, the county clerk's office points out. Any registered voter who will be away election day can apply by letter or in person to the county clerk's office in Nevada City for an absentee ballot, on or before October 31. The application, if written, should include the voter's home address, and, if possible, his precinct number. The letter should also stipulate where the absentee ballot is to be mailed.

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Large Portion of Vehicles Checked Had Bad Brakes

In the recent nation-wide and Canadian IACP traffic safety check in which some 2,666,261 vehicles were stopped and checked for obvious mechanical defects a total of 59.4 per cent had either faulty lights or brakes, ccording to National Automobile Club.

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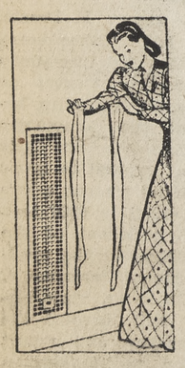
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From SWANEE

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October 13, 1946

Dear Tahoeites:

This has been a beautiful Sunday, with weather as warm and mild as midsummer....even the mornings and evenings are not half as nippy as they were earlier. This is what many natives term Indian summer ....and the autumn leaves are just approaching their climax of glory.... their yellow splendor reflected today in the calm waters of Tahoe all along the lakeshore. Seagulls rode the riplets in large numbers and not a cloud dotted the soft blue of the sky.

Almost deserted are the summer homes, although traffic appeared quite heavy over the weekend, with numerous jeeps loaded with sightseers among the motorists. The bridge in Tahoe City was lined this afternoon with the curious who flung bits of bread into the water for the lazy fat trout who dart and whirl about the river between the bridge and the dam.

Fulfilled a promise on Thursday night last when Mrs. John Kvistberg, and grandson Jimmie Easton, who retired several months ago from the service with the rating of Commander, were our guests at dinner. For several years past I had promised Jimmie in my letters to him, that upon his return he should be rewarded with a trout dinner at our house. Although fish have been pretty scarce this summer, as fishing goes, Pop Swanson did manage to lure one lovely silver onto his hook, which weighed around two pounds, just enough to make a pretty good dinner for a lad so homesick for Tahoe, his old home town. Needless to say he relished it and found it every bit as good as he had fancied in his dreams while coursing the waters of distant seas on duty for the past three years or more. Jim has abandoned any plans to return to the sea, and hopes to return to Tahoe next spring and enter some sort of business venture on his own. His love of Tahoe and his many old friends here should make this a ready possibility, and we heartily wish him every success.

Had letters and cards from two Tahoeites last week, all of which were most welcome. Mrs. Annie Soll wrote from Eatonsville, Wash., where she was visiting relatives, that her first plane ride, from Sacramento to Tacoma, was extremely thrilling, with smooth sailing all the way and no wind. Said she felt just like an angel, flying along above the clouds, and wondered if that would be about the closest she'd ever get to being one! She and dughter, Agnes, and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gerkin of Sacramento, were not the least bit tired upon arrival and doubted very much if they would have enjoyed the trip half as much had they been forced to make it by automobile. The weather was grand and the autumn leaves, some of which she pressed and enclosed in her letter, were most colorful. Had a later card telling of their visit to Seattle and Mt. Rainier, which they described as most beautiful at this time of year. They remain for two weeks.

The second Tahoeite from whom I heard gave me a pleasant surprise. It was Mrs. Harriett Valentine, who, with her husband, retired from business when they sold Valentine's Lodge, near Tahoe Tavern, to the Duff Deans. The chamber of commerce at Balboa is making a terrific mistake if they haven't appointed Mrs. V. to their board, as she is certainly an enthusiastic "one man C. of C." all by herself. She enclosed a map of the island showing exact directions to the Valentine manse on the waterfront, and several news clippings and photographs of Newport Beach Harbor and an informative folder with illustrations of their famed Tournament of Lights, an annual affair most unique which could be copied by Tahoe, should there be any enterprising citizens brave enough to undertake its supervision. This event was inaugurated back in 1921 by a group of boat owners wishing to produce an event of beauty not only unique but universal in appeal. This year the tournament was held on August 17, starting at 7:30 PM, over a chartered course around and between the islands which dot the harbor, the event consuming about three hours time. The entries are decorated and illuminated watercraft, ranging from the smallest rowboat or canoe, to the largest seagoing yacht. Beauty....rather than volume....is the first requirement, with such features as humor, patriotism or education, secondary. Beautiful trophies are awarded winners and some of the past winning entries were most unusual....such as The Owl and the Pussy Cat, the Log Cabin, the Nautilus, the Lilies, the Viking Ship and the Village Store. Subtle lighting, color schemes, illumination and originality of design take the judges' eyes, with awards given for the various sizes and classes of boats. Mrs. Valentine reports the affair was very beautiful.

Also interesting this summer was the Flight of the Snowbirds, a race of boats, 138 in number this year, of any and all sizes, but all limited to a single sail. Entrants are sometimes as young as seven in the six mile sprint, the boats passing en masse in front of Valentine's door, a thrilling spectacle. She told of visiting in Los Angeles at their niece's home and of planning a motor trip for October. Her interesting lettre was finished during their travels, which had taken them to Utah.

Their 51st wedding anniversary was celebrated this year in Zion Canyon, continuing their custom of spending the holiday in some out-of-the-way place. After leaving Zion of Bryce Canyons they continued on through awesome and interesting country, with narrow winding roads flanked by sheer cliffs of grotesque and vivid shapes and colors and wound up at a fashionable dude ranch, where fresh butter, new laid eggs, thick, juicy steaks and cream so thick it had to be cut with a knife were served daily, the ranch producing everything but sugar, which was just as scarce as it is throughout the rest of the United States. The tempting tinkle of the cocktail shaker in the girls' room next door brought her entertaining missive to an abrupt end, but she promised to write again soon and keep us posted on their wanderings. She sent along best wishes to their many old friends at Tahoe.

Tahoe residents who watched the unusual meteor display on Wednesday night after 7 PM were treated to a most interesting sight, for it was like a giant Fourth of July exhibition with Roman candles and sky rockets whizzing on all sides across the heavens. Visible only for the briefest instant, they appeared to fall into the far corners of the lake and amongst the trees which was not true as scientists declared they would be dissipated long before they could reach our earth. The sky was clear and the evening pleasant, making the streaking splashes of light, like bursts of shells, casting their brilliant, brief reflections across the quiet lake waters, a sight never to be forgotten.

Although to date I know of no local representative who is collecting at Tahoe for the present USO and Chest drive, now being conducted for Placer County at Auburn, Tahoeites who wish to contribute to this worthy cause may send their checks to Pierre Goss, county treasurer for the drive, at Auburn. Various organizations benefit through the fund, including Girl Scouts, Campfire Girls, etc. The Boy Scouts of Placer, Nevada and El Dorado counties are also conducting a drive for funds at this time. All are important for the character development of our younger generation and vital in maintaining the high morale of our growing youngsters. Give them your wholehearted support.

Want to make a correction regarding the rescuing of Jack Smith last week, lost while hunting in the Richardson Lake district. It was not Tahoe City's Gene Walker who met him and took him to his car but some as yet unidentified benefactor. Because Walker and Constable Harry Johanson were hunting in the nearby Rubicon district, it was believed that Walker was the man. The Tahoeites, however, went in by horseback and had no car parked handily nearby.

Son Jimmie writes from Wiesbaden that the latest rumors, which must, of course, always be taken with a grain of salt, indicate he might possibly leave for the USA around the middle of October. He's even dreaming of getting in a bit of duck hunting this fall. He's been transferred to the carpenter shop which pleases him and he likes his new duties far better than those in the company post office. He goes to work at 8:30 AM, takes an hour and a half for lunch, and quits at 4 PM. It's so easy in fact, it doesn't seem like the army at all. He had attended a wedding party with 19 others and reported a grand time. Is also learning to ride horseback, even though it's by way of an English type saddle. Sends his best to all his friends at Tahoe.

Ring off for the week and hope this finds you all right in t' pink, as ever, Swanee.

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Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Gallinger in Tahoe City on Sunday were Mrs. P. Dahlin, county librarian of Contra Costa County, and her sister, Mrs. T. Young of Auburn.

Mrs. W. A. Simmonds of Tahoe City is enjoying a two-week visit in Palm Springs with her son, Arthur Frodenberg, and family.

Prompt Action Controls Shingle Blaze at Lake Without Great Damage

TAHOE CITY— On Saturday afternoon the Olanders of Forest Inn received a bad scare when their chimney soot burned out and dropped on the roof where several shingles burned before being extinguished. Ranger Fred White, in town for a few groceries, hurried home and brought the pumper but the fire was under control, due to prompt action by the family.

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TAHOE CITY— Sunday evening Charles Swanson of Sunnyside, James Wilson of Tahoe Cedars, Willie Arnhold of Chambers and Joe Carter of Reno returned from a three-day hunting trip to Nevada's Red Rock region on the Nevada shoreline. Only Carter was successful, bringing down a 200 pound muletail on Friday, their first day out.

Carter's experience was a bit unusual. He shot the animal at 300 yards the first time, dropping it. As he approached it jumped to its feet and started off. Once more a shot felled him, only to have him take off despite wounds. A third shot was fired and the buck hit the dust. Carter, a former Texas cow man, brought his rope into play. Lassoing the antlers, he han around a small juniper tree with his rope just as the big buck tried to rise again, pulling the rope through his hands inflicting painful rope burns. Two more shots finished the deer.

In Antone Meadows

Paul Weis of Roseville on Saturday killed a forked horn mule tail, dressiong down at about 180 pounds, in Antone Meadows. Weis was the weekend guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Finger.

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Tahoe Traveller Of 1878

Lake Tahoe, or Bigler, as it is called on some of the official maps, is located 12 miles south of Truckee. Tahoe is an Indian word signifying "big water" and is pronounced by the Indians "Tah-oo" while the "pale faces" pronounce it "Ta-hoe". From Truckee a splendid road affords one of the best and most pleasant drives to be found in the state. The road follows the river bank, under the shade of waving pines, or across green meadows until it reaches Tahoe City at the foot of the lake. Here are excellent accomodations for travelers—a good hotel, boats and a well-stocked stable.

Two States, Five Counties

According to the survey of the State line, Lake Tahoe lies in two States and five counties. The line between California and Nevada runs north and south through the lake, until it reaches a certain point therein, when it changes to course 17 degrees east of south. Thus the counties of El Dorado and Placer in California, and Washoe, Ormsby and Douglas, in Nevada, all share in the waters of the Tahoe. Where the line was surveyed through the lake it is 1,700 feet deep.

There are three steamboats on the lake, but only one, the "Stanford", takes excursionists. The trip on this steamer is very fine, but for our personal use, not the way we like to travel for sight-seeing, at this, the lovliest of all drives in the world. Our choice is a good saddle animal, or a good team of horses, a agreeable companion, and start around the western shore.

South Tahoe Area

There are fine streams running into the lake on each side of the point. We now arrive at Emerald Bay, a beautiful, placid inlet, two miles long, which seems to hide itself among the pine-clad hills. It is not over 400 yards wide at its mouth, but widens to two miles inland, forming one of the prettiest land-locked harbors in the world. It is owned by Ben Holiday. At the south end of Tahoe, near the site of the Old Lake House, near Tallac Point, Lake Valley Creek enters the lake, having wound among the hills for many miles since it left the springs and snow which feed it. The valley of Lake Creek is one of the loveliest to be found among the Sierra. The whole distance, from the mountain slope to the lake, is one continual series of verdant meadows, dotted with milk ranches, where the choicest butter and chees are manufactured.

The next object of interest met with is a relic of the palmy days of staging, Friday Station, an old stage station, established by Burke in 1859, on the Placerville and Tahoe road. Ten miles further on we come to the Glenbrook House, a favorite resort for tourists. From Glenbrook House there is a fine road to Carson City, between which ply regular stages. This is a lovely place, and a business place, too, as a half-dozen saw mills are located here, which turn out a million and a half feet of lumber weekly.

Hot Springs, Cornelian Bay

Four miles further we come to The Cave, a cavern in the hillside fully 100 feet above and overhanging the lake.

Following around to the north end of the lake, and but a short distance away, are the celebrated Hot Springs, lying just across the State line, in Nevada. Near them is a splendid spring of clear, cold water, totally devoid of mineral taste. The next object which attracts our attention is Cornelian Bay, a beautiful indenture in the coast, with fine gravel bottom. Thus far there has been scarcely a point from which the descent to the water's edge is not smooth and easy.

Lumber, Fish and Game

Passing on around to the west side we return to Tahoe City. Around the lake the land is generally level for some distance back, and covered with pine, fir and balsam timber, embracing at least 300 sections of as fine timbered land as the state affords. It is easy of access and handy to market, the logs being rafted down the lake to the Truckee, and thence down to any point on the railroad above Reno. So much for the general appearance of Lake Tahoe.. To understand its beauties, one must go there and spend a short time. When once there, sailing on the beautiful lake, gazing far down its shining, pebbly bottom, hooking the sparkling trout that makes the pole sway and bend in the hand like a willow wand, few will have the desire to hurry away. If one tires of the line and strolling along the beach, or sailing over the lake, a tramp into the hills with a gun will be rewarded by the sight of quail, grouse, deer and possibly a bear.

We have now circled the lake, and can judge of its dimensions, which are 22 miles in length and ten in width.

Resort Promotion

While on a recent visit to San Francisco, we learned on good authority, that a movement was on foot, urged by several capitalists in that city, to build a large hotel at Tallac Point during the year, from which a stage line will convey passengers over the High Sierra, via Hope Valley and Blue Lake, to the Calavera Big Trees; distance 65 miles; fare about $20. This would certainly be a lovely trip, passing as it does, through the grandest of the High Sierra range, and to the noted Blue Lake, so long talked about as the great reservoir from which the City of San Francisco is to be supplied with water in the future. For scenery, variety of game, trout, etc., this route will be found very attractive.

—Crofutt's Overland Guide 1878-79

Sheriff Is Campaigning On Record of 12 Years

Sheriff C. J. Tobiassen was in this district last week soliciting votes for the forthcoming election only three weeks distant, on Nov. 5, at which he is a candidate to succeed himself for the post he has held for the 12 years.

Using as his campaign slogan: "There is no substitute for experience," Sheriff Tobiassen is reminding the voters in this region of the enviable record he has made in law enforcement during his terms. Particularly he points to the local improvements, including the appointment of a new deputy sheriff to work in Truckee, the repairs on the Truckee jail and other contemplated improvements such as the installation of a complete office for records, fingerprinting, etc.

"It has been and will continue to be my desire to provide Truckee and eastern Nevada County with a modern law enforcement department. I recall the unsatisfactory jail we had here when I took office, the building being a poor, unsanitary hovel, unfit for housing even the worst prisoners. I have attempted to correct this condition and believe I have succeeded to a large degree and will continue my efforts to make conditions in Truckee even more up to date."

Tobiassen is president of the California State Sheriffs' Association.

Auto Club Says Nevada Lake Unique In the West

Pyramid Lake, 37 miles northeast of Reno, is unlike any other lake in the world, according to National Automobile Club. It is 30 miles long and 12 miles wide and 3783 feet above sea level. Gulls and pelicans swarm over it by the thousands. It is located on the desert, yet its waters are clear and deed. Trout weighing up to 50 pounds have been taken from its waters. The lake is located on a Piute Indian reservation.

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Tahoe Fire Meeting

There will be a meeting of the Tahoe Volunteer Fire Department on Thursday night, October 17, according to Secretary-Treasurer Clarence Vernon. Fire Chief Harry Johanson will conduct the meeting and election of new officers will be the main business. The department maintains a membership of eight, all insured.

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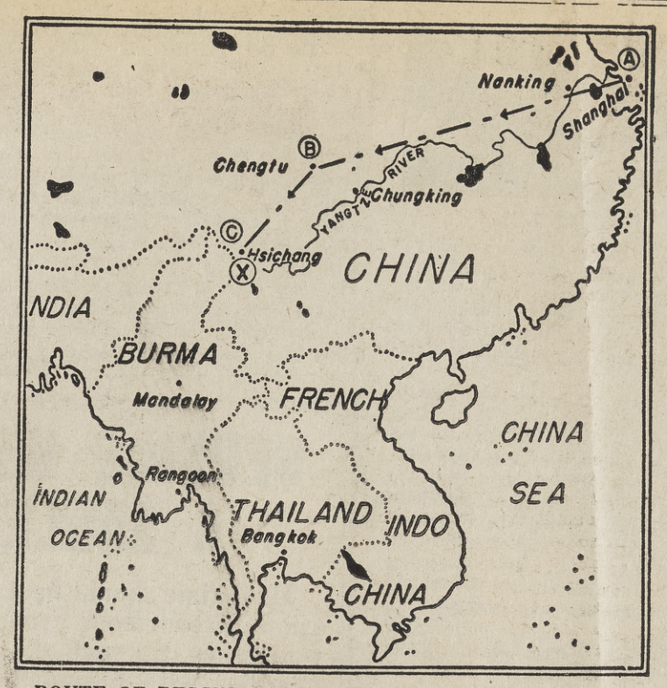

ROUTE OF RESCUE PARTY SEEKING AMERICAN AIRMEN IN CHINA—Deep in the rugged mountains of western Szechwan province in China, five Army Air Force B-29 crewmen are reported held captive by aboriginal Lolo tribesmen. An AAF C-47 flew from Shanghai (A) to Chengtu (B) to investigate the reports. At Chengtu the crewmen were met by a French priest who reported that the men were being held by the natives and forced to tend herds of sheep and goats in an isolated region nine days by foot from the village of Hsichang (C). The priest, who maintains a tiny mission six days' walk from Hsichang, together with members of a Graves Registration detachment are attempting to locate the men. They flew from Chengtu to Hsichang to investigate the landing facilities there and to inspect the surrounding territory by air. The C-47 returned to Shanghai over the week-end and arrangements were begun to form an expedition to rescue the men. The base of operations is at Hsichang. It is thought that the only successful way to secure the release of the men will be through barter. The Lolos are considered likely to put the men to death if any attempt is made to get at them by armed force. They are reported to have taken five prisoners and to have killed two other crewmen when they resisted capture. The airmen are thought to have been held for more than two years. The Lolo country, southwest of Hsichang, is marked on the map by an (X). The area is on a direct line from former bases in China to India.

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Wandering Tahoeites Visit Charlie Hellers

TAHOE CITY— Charles Krueger of Beverley Hills, father of Mrs. Floyd Carnell, met with disappointment as he arrived on Friday to visit his daughter here. In company with the A. M. Henrfs, the Carnells attended the state ski association meeting in Santa Cruz over the weekend. He left for home on Saturday and the Carnells did not return until Sunday.

The traveling Tahoeites stopped en route home in Sacramento to visit Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heller, formerly of Meeks Bay, and Mrs. Heller's father, A. E. Lake. All were well and the Hellers have enlarged and remodeled their apartment and grocery store and have installed new regfrigeration equipment. A housekeeper has been engaged and now they can devote their entire time to the business.

All went over to the home of the Hellers' daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hennigan, who live nearby, for a visit. The Hellers sent along their very best wishes to their many old friends at Tahoe and Truckee.

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Joslin of Los Angeles were guests at the home of the C. W. Vernons in the Bittencourt Tract recently. They stopped in to visit on their way home from an eastern vacation trip. Joslin is a brother of Mrs. Vernon.

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Delegates Will Report At Tahoe Ski Club On Friday Night, Oct. 18

TAHOE CITY— Lake Tahoe Ski Club members are reminded of the next meeting of the club on Friday night, October 18, at 8 PM. Plans will be made for the big Hallowe'en dance to be held at Community Hall on the night of October 26 at eight. Mrs. Jean Henry and her sister, Betty Wheat, chairmen of the affair announce dancing , games and refreshments will add interest to the evening. All those desiring to attend in costume are urged to do so, thereby adding color and interest to the event.

At State Convention

A report will be made on the success of the membership drive which has been on during the latter part of the summer and Mrs. A. M. Henry will render her report on the events at the annual California Ski Association convention which the Henrys and the Floyd Carnells attended in Santa Cruz over the weekend.

The delegates left Tahoe Friday for Santa Cruz. Their only complaint against the entire trip and meeting was against the hard-bottomed chairs on which they sat from 10 AM to 5PM without even a break for lunch.

The Tahoe Club requested Februray 9 for their sanctioned invitationa ski meet this season but the decision will be made later after filing a written request with a special committee.

Eastern Sierra Division

A new division was inaugurated at the meeting, making a sixth, in the region east of the crest of Sierra and naming Reno's Wayne Poulsen as counsellor. This district will include such clubs as Tahoe, Truckee, Reno, Tahoe Village, Douglas County and any others on the eastern Sierran slopes.

President Al Sigal presided and Roger Langley, national president, flew out from New Haven, Conn., to be present. Representatives of the National Park Service were among those attending. It was brought out in the official reports that of the 12 original ski clubs comprising the charter members of the association in 1930, only five have maintained continous membership. These are Mt. Shasta Snowmen, Auburn, Yosemite Winter Club, Reno and Tahoe. The Truckee Outing Club, inactive during the war, is again taking its place among the association members. The assocation now represents a total of 38 clubs.

Old Officers Retained

The election of officers saw the present office holders returned for another term. Social highlight of the trip was the dance and turkey dinner at Casa del Rey on Saturday night.

Whispering Pines

Tahoe Lake School Column

General assembly was held at Tahoe Lake school auditorium on Thursday last. Parents and visitors are welcome to these session. Columbus Day was observed with appropriate songs and recitations.

Louise Langenbach of Auburn, supervisor of instruction was a Friday visitor at the school.

A doll show was also held with entries shown by pupils from the first to the eighth grades. Even sixth grade boys brought along their teddy bears.

While no definite word is yet received, it is believed that hot lunches will again be available for Tahoe school children in the near future, according to present plans.

The C. W. Jones family of Tahoe Vista plan to return to their home in the early spring after an interesting vacation during the coming months.

Move from Tahoe

Lt. and Mrs. Roscoe Brady and two daughters are moving from Lake Tahoe to Vallejo while the former is stationed at Sacramento.

Mrs. M. C. Milton has returned to her Oakland home following the summer spent at Tahoe.

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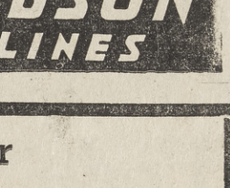

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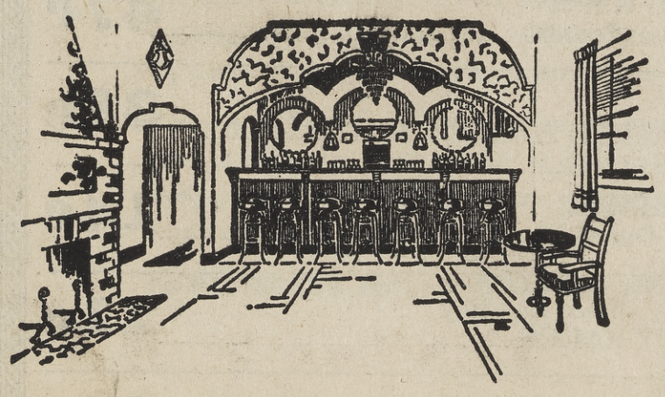

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(General Election, Tuesday, November 5)

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SUMMIT SCENE

by FRANCES COUILLARD

The second meeting of the Donner Community Club was as successful and enthusiastic as its first. A rolling stone gathers no moss, so they say, and, friends, are we rolling! At our really first official meeting, the speaker was no less than Elwyn Gregory, Placer county superintendent of schools. Jack Crampton was sworn in as the new school board member and Gregory said that in all his years of experience as a superintendent, it was the first time he had officiated at such an occasion. It was pleasing and gratifying to see that the first nail of our organization had been driven—truly a golden spike! The ways and means to float a school bond issue in the district were discussed and much enlightenment was shed on the subject by both Gregory and Albert Bequette, who replace Gregory on the first of the year.

The Donner Community Club is strictly a social organization—a group of public minded mountain folk who have been estranged by rigorous weather conditions and long distances, a group who have longed to meet their neighbors and idulge in the social pleasures that other small towns and communities enjoy. The next meeting will be held at Ice Lakes and will be purely a social event—an old fashioned box social. We understand the school children at Norden will put on a little entertainment for us, too.

Little Jeff Johnson had his fourth birthday party last Sunday. Nine small guests enjoyed the refreshments and the party goodies at Kingvale Park, under the auspices of Grandma Doris Johnson.

Peg Travis is back on the mountain after a nice two weeks vacation. Sorry she came back home with a cold.

George Fraley just returned from San Jose where he visited his sick brother. Word comes today that his brother has passed away so George must return to San Jose for the sad occasion.

We had about 30 communication men on the mountain on October 8. The od switchboard at Soda Springs is a thing of the dark ages for a new dial telephone service has been installed. As it is the first of its kind in a very small community, the above mentioned group were visitors to test its efficacy. We shall all miss the voice of the genial "Doc" who has operated the switchboard under trying circumstances at times. We can remember when we handled the mechanical device during ski season and one line was always out of order. The clamoring of several hundred people for a line thru' to Truckee turned our hair gray when one line only was available.

So now there is a new step that has been added to the growing up process of little Soda Springs.

As the buck hunters still continue their trek back into the mountains we notice the Christmas trees coming out. It is quite a jolt to realize that the year has sped so quickly—that already preparations are being made for the festive season. We suppose that Paul Norboe is waiting for the snow covered forests before he starts his hauling.

We are going to Los Angeles this week and perhaps we won't return in time to give you the news of the mountain in next week's Sun, but we shall certainly make up for it the following week.

We note that the rafters are in place at Donner Summit Lodge—that means a roof pretty soon! Hurry! Hurry! Hurry!

Byron Johnson's little addition looks it is ready for its hat, too.

And now we find that the little ski hut that Eddie Aro is building is for himself and his new wife to be. Eddie thinks he will instruct at Yosemite this season. We wish him luck but wish he were going to stay with us for he is a fixture up here and we shall miss him.

Practically the last vestige of the summer season has disappeared. The sheep are being run down the road to the warmer climes, the horses that we have ridden this summer are also being driven down to escape the snows and coming rigors, the shutters are practically all in place and the mountains busy bartenders are practically all on vacation. Bert Barber and Dotty Barber of Donner Summit Lodge went south with the birds for a few weeks. Jack Hogue of the Soda Springs Hotel is on a deer hunt—and that's the way it is.

If we find any Summit people in Los Angeles we shall write you about them—but if our family reunion, which we are attending in the southern city takes up as much time as we think it will we likely won't have the opportunity to go out and look for mountain people. Irene and Ernie LePire from Lake Tahoe have moved in with us to take our respective places while we take a trip.

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MAIN STREET MANHATTAN

By CARL HELM

NEW YORK—Once in a while you will get a taxi driver (and they're getting easier to get!) who will lay off the traditional wise-cracks of his kind and sensibly indicate a fact or a trend that is prophetic and important.

No other public servitors come in as immediate contact with so many sides of metropolitan life as the cabbies, and, astute observers with sharp eyes and wide ears, they are quick to grasp significances. These they digest and ponder in their silent stretches at the wheel or in the hack stands. (After all, they can't occupy themselves forever with the tabloid gossips and the comic strips!)

I had such a hackie philosopher the other night while wheeling home from "The Front Page," a fast and furious fun play devoid of propaganda or "message," which may indicate a trend itself. He was remarking the dearth of after-midnight trade from Broadway and the five joints.

"D'young fellas," he said, "don't stay out late and carouse any more. Take their girls home early, lots of 'em by subway. D'war made 'em old, and sober."

Youngsters of 21 and 23 came home from war 30 and 35, the cabby said, "and maybe it's good, and maybe it ain't." . . . It ain't good for the nighthawk taxis, at any rate—and if it's a fact and a trend, a deeper philosopher than a hackie will have to rate its significance.

TAHOE BRIEFS

James Wheat, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wheat of Tahoe City is visiting indefinitely from his home in San Bernardino. He arrived on Thursday, just in to share honors at a turkey dinner party given at the Henry home in observation of the senior Henrys' wedding anniversary. Guests included the A. M. Henrys, Mr. and Mrs. Al Henry Jr and children Gary and Karen and the Wheats.

Mrs. Gerda Kvistberg left Tahoe for her home in Burlingame on Monday following a visit of several weeks here. Grandson Jim Easton will remain at her home and plans to work for the Henrikson brothers for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. George Collins and son Timmy of San Francisco arrived on Tuesday to enjoy a week's vacation at the home of her parents, the Bob Watsons of Tahoe City.

Little Suzanne Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walker of Lafayette and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Droste of Tahoe City, observed her sixth birthday on October 9. Mrs. Droste left Tahoe over three weeks ago for their Oakland home and is reported about the same. Droste will remain at the lake for some time to wind up the business of the Tahoe Realty Company before departing for the winter.

Mrs. Florence Potter of Palo Alto, cousin of Mrs. Bliss Hinkle of the Bittencourt Tract, is visiting t the Hinkle home. Sunday Mrs. Hinkle, Mrs. Potter and Mrs. Myrtle Gallinger enjoyed a drive around the lake and to Fallen Leaf Lake to admire the autumn leaves and spy some mountain, finding the latter in all its beauty near Glenbrook.

World's Mightiest Fleet To be Honored Oct. 27

The observance of Navy Day was inaugurated October 27, 1922, under the auspices of the Navy League of the United States, in order that the American people might become more familiar with the United States Navy and gain a greater appreciation of its importance and influence in our national life.

October 27 was chosen as the date for the observance because it marks the anniversary of the date in 1775 when the Continental Congress received the bill providing for the original United States fleet. Although the fleet was authorized at that time it was not until 1798 that the Navy Department was made an independent and recognized unit of our federal government. October 27 also marks the birthday of Theodore Roosevelt, who recognized the need for a strong Navy and is widely credited with being the father of our modern Navy.

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Jorgenson is especially qualified in this field. He is a University or California graduate, and has been engaged in landscape engineering since 1933. His landscaping assignments have been in the Kings Canyon and Sequoia National Parks of California and the Glacier National Park of Montana, besides working for leading private home landscaping concerns.

"The employment of Jorgenson on the Tahoe National Forest," stated Ellis, "will be of great assistance to the district rangers who have been unable to allot the time needed to recreation activities which are now nationally recognized."

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of HORACE ALBERT SMITH, Deceased No. 4642

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Charles E. Smith as Administrator of the Estate of Horace Albert Smith, deceased, to the Creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within 6 months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within 6 months after the first publication of this notice to the said Administrator at the office of H. Ward Sheldon, Union Building, Nevada City, California, the same being his place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said Horace Albert Smith, Deceased.

Dated October 5, 1946.

Charles E. Smith, Administrator of the Estate of Horace Albert Smith, Deceased. O10,17,24,31N7

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North Tahoe News . . .

by MADELINE GALLERANI

Mrs. D. C. Barnett of Bonnie Beach Resort was given a surprise Chinese dinner at her home on Thursday, October 3. The table decorations were carried out in the Chinese motif. Those present included the hostesses, Mrs. Grant and Mrs. Luhrs, Mrs. Ruth Stelzriede, Mrs. Dixie Bullard, and Mrs. Branch.

Harry Charrison, acting postmaster, and his associates at the Kings Beach Post Office deserve a great deal of credit for the prompt and efficient service rendered during those busy summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Mullen of Los Angeles are spending part of their honeymoon at Silver Sands Resort.

Charles Drake of Reno visited in Kings Beach on Thursday last.

Don and Bud Schubert of Kings Beach are in Los Angeles on a business trip.

Visitors at the W. L. English home in Tahoe Vista were Mr. and Mrs. J. Brandt of Sacramento.

Marian Miller, principal of the Kings Beach Elementary School, has moved from Carnelian Bay into a home in Kings Beach.

Carl Brooks of Kings Beach will enter a San Francisco hospital this week to undergo an operation due to a back injury received late this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Sines and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sines of Oakland spent four days in Kings Beach. Mrs. L. R. Sines, sister of Mrs. John Gallerani, visited at the Gallerani home while here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gonsert of Kings Beach had as their guests recently Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jeffords and son of Fairfield.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mortenson of Kings Beach plan to spend the winter in Pasadena and will leave soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Ballard of Tahoe Vista had as guests recently Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Cone of Fullerton, Calif.

Elmer "Bones" Remmer, fully recovered from his recent illness, is now on an extended tour of Canada after having attended the World Series.

Guests at Kings Beach Resort over the weekend include Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson of Pendleton, Ore.

Honeymooners at Kings Beach include Mr. and Mrs. Edward Houser of Gustine, Mr. and Mrs. William Runge of Alhambra and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bentley of San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Compton and two daughters, Roberta and Barbara, of Reno were guests at the Fred Baker home in Tahoe Vista.

Bob Robbins of Kings Beach has leased the Blackburn hom in Crystal Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Questa and two sons, Gary and Gene, of Sacramento spent the past week-end visiting Mrs. Questa's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Riolo.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Andre of Woodvista have moved into a home in Kings Beach for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Byrne and daughter are spending the winter in San Rafael. Bryne is co-owner of Alpine Lodge in Kings Beach with Jack Ross.

A recent visitor at the Leo Marthaller home in Carnelian Bay was Col. B. F. Kaiser of the U. S. Marines just returned from China. A graduate of Annapolis, he has been in the service 24 years and has seen service all through the European Theater as well as the Far East. Col. Kaiser is a brother-in-law of Marthaller.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Webb and children of Reno visited at the William Van Hooser and Jo Wheeler homes in Kings Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rayburn left on Monday for an extended trip throughout the United States. Rayburn plans to spend some time in Mississippi, he home state, wehere he hasn't visited in over 34 years. Reno and Larry, their two well-known Irish setters, will accompany the Rayburns.

Jackson's Hole, Wyoming, is the destination set by Mr. and Mrs. 'Slim' Laborde of Kings Beach to do some elk hunting.

Tom Carter, owner of the Center Stables and long-time summer resident of Kings Beach, returned to his home in Auburn last Tuesday.

Mrs. Mulford Miles of Brockway is in Seattle caring for her daughter who recently gave birth to a baby boy. The infant passed away soon after its birth. The mother is reported be recovering satisfactorily. The entire community wishes to express its deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Miles, who looked forward to being grandparents for the first time, and to their daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayde Burt and son, Glen, of Carson City, spent Tuesday in Tahoe Vista visiting with friends.

IT'S TRUE

By Theodore Maisch

Rising 19,600 feet, Mount Cotopaxi in Ecuador, is the world's highest volcano.

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Revenues of California's 285 cities reached $145,375,000 for fiscal 1945, up 10 per cent from the $132,806,000 for fiscal 1944, and up 20 per cent from the 1941 prewar income of $122,684,000, California Taxpayers' Association said today, making public its study of income and expenditures of government in California.

City taxes totalled $92,938,000 for fiscal 1945, city revenues other than taxes amounted to $38,424,000 and the cities received $14,013,000 of state- collected taxes.

For fiscal 1941, city taxes totalled $82,354,000, revenues other than taxes were $25,627,000, and state payments to cities were $14,703,000.

State payments to cities for fiscal 1945 included $7,146,400 from the gasoline tax, $4,722,000 from the motor vehicle "in lieu" tax, and $2,145,000 from liquor licenses. For fiscal 1941, state payments to cities included $8,655,000 from the gas tax, $4,295,000 from the "in lieu" tax and $1,753,000 from liquor licenses.

During the war years, the state subvention to cities from the gas tax fell off, dropping to $6,945,000 for fiscal 1944. The falling off of the cities' share of the gas tax reflects both the reduction in gas tax collections resulting from war-time rationing of gas and the reduced amount of work done because of the war-time shortages of men and materials.

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by DOUG BARRETT

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In Alpine county there are only 164 registered voters compared to 627 in the local supervisorial district alone; Alpine county's total assessible land value is only $1,458,540 compared to $19,824,750 for Nevada county. These figures are a preface to my contention that there is an excuse but no more to justify the existence of the tiny, eastern Sierra subdivision. The fact that it is entirely on the eastern slope of the Sierra and divorced from the economy of the western watershed is the only excuse....So, too, do Lake Tahoe and Truckee rest in a similar position but they are subject to a majority will of western slopers with widely divergent interests. Where the residents of Alpine county have five resident supervisors and a complete set of county officers, the Truckee-Tahoe area has one resident supervisor (Hank Loehr) in three counties and not a single county officer....Why not an eastern California county, running between the crestline of the Sierra to the Nevada line between the northern border of Nevada county and the southern border of Alpine county? This county could be called Tahoe, Donner, Fremont or Alpine. It would embrace the entirety of the Tahoe shore lying in California, its railhead in Truckee and the "orphan" county of Alpine would become a practical unit for political administration. Machinery of a county government is already functioning in Markleeville and the county seat could be located there temporarily at least, later moving, if desirable, to some more central point like Lake Valley, Kings Beach, Tahoe City or the gateway to this whole area, Truckee.

The atmosphere was really Old West in Truckee this week what with "Cherokee Bill" and his troupe, Hazel Lewis' window display of pioneer relics still drawing attention, the Donner Theater advertising "Return of Frank James" tomorrow and the stage coach from Harold's Club rolling thru. The latter, drawn by six horses, was an advertising stunt and left San Diego on July 29, stopped at Kearney ranch for water and rest October 13 and left for Reno next day—76 days on the road.

AROUND TOWN: Rev. Don Flem of Reno, one big fellow, here for the local church supper....Cement mixer, putsy-putsy, at work on the sidewalk extension....Hes Cardinal tired and sleepy after the 3:30 AM arrival of his daughter, passing out good cigars....Helen Copeland lugging a load of dailies from the Greyhound depot....a wide selection of colorful Yuletide cards in the Sun window....Expressman Roy Waters with a truck load of eggs taking it easy on the bumps....Gallerani and Baker working in the grammar school yard....Mrs. Frey herding her daughters along the shopping trail....Humbert Ciardella and a very attractive date out to dinner—his mother.

The Yerba Buena Tunnel of the San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge is a double-decker.

Angel Island in San Francisco Bay contains one square mile.

Looking Ahead

Turn Back

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THREE easy steps will degrade a self-governing people to the level of dictatorship; (1) to planned economy (2) to government management (3) to government control. America has already taken the first step. War pushed central planning upon us, and people who like it are trying to make it permanent. If it can be made to stick, the nation will be ready for the second step — government management.

Disregarding all fancy and impractical theories, history proves that private enterprise made America the world's most powerful nation and gave to us all the most comfortable lives that common people ever lived. Our only wise course is to turn back to free enterprise, but first we must get rid of planned economy. It is going to demand strenuous treatment, for it is well advanced.

In Self Defense

THINGS we have learned about what took personal liberty from the Germans, the Russians, the French, and the British, ought to be of value. This is a hack illustration but very useful: When you want to get rid of darkness, turn on light. The first move against politics in business is to take the handcuffs off business itself. Set private enterprise free and it will protect itself.

Laws made to take the profit out of war are now taking the pay out of work. Laws have rolled profits in some businesses so thin that there is nothing left to make but a loss. Ill-advised taxes on some commodities are so large that a fair price will not cover them. Industrial relations are so needled with politics that declining volume already is endangering jobs and wages.

Investors Necessary

PEOPLE who are saving money are obliged often to let it lie idle in banks because there is no reasonably secure place to put it to work. Some invest in government bonds but the earnings of bonds come from taxes and serve not at all to put men to work and increase the national wealth. When private investors are afraid to trust private enterprise, government management is at the door.

Getting the United States out of its present entanglements with state socialism is one thing, keeping it out is another. For the long-range good of this nation, and of the world that is looking to us for leadership, a ceaseless campaign of education is needed. The present need is to cut restraints on productions and set American business on its feet again; by three measures.

(1) Change the tax structure to permit profits to operators and dividends to investors. (2) Balance the federal budget now, in prosperous times, when, if ever, high taxes can be paid. (3) Improve industrial relations. In the long run, workers get paid in proportion to what they produce; and high wages, fairly earned, comprise the foundation of American prosperity.

Grand Patriarch—

The IOOF held its grand encampment at Santa Barbara last week, electing J. F. Priest of Fresno as grand patriarch.

Promoted to Streamliner—

Byron Nagle of Sacramento, who began his railroading in the Truckee yards as fireman on a switch engine, has been promoted to engineer of the City of San Francisco train. Nagle visited local friends Saturday.

To Winter Quarters—

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Payen have left their summer headquarters at Verdi, taking their stock to winter near Folsom.

For many years the celebrated Old Faithful Geyser in Yellowstone National Park has played with average regularity every 65 minutes.

Rosebrooks Leave—

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Rosebrook returned to their hotel business at Oakland after several weeks spent at their home on Truckee River.

Kearney Guests—

H. J. Finnegan of Sacramento, formerly of Truckee, stopped at the Frank Kearney home on Monday on his way to Quincy. H. F. Clouette of Mill Valley arrived Saturday, caught a limit of trout and left for home the next day.

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